

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF PREMIER BILLING)	
SERVICES, INC. FOR A CERTIFICATE OF)	
PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO)	CASE NO. 93-180
PROVIDE INTRASTATE TELECOMMUNICATIONS)	
SERVICES)	

O R D E R

On May 7, 1993, Premier Billing Services, Inc. ("Premier") filed an application with the Commission seeking a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to resell intrastate long-distance telecommunications services within the Commonwealth of Kentucky. The Commission ordered Premier to file additional information on July 16, 1993. Premier filed its response on August 4, 1993.

Premier is an Illinois corporation with its principal offices in the state of Illinois and intends to resell tariffed services of facilities-based carriers certified by this Commission. Premier does not own or operate any telecommunications transmission facilities within the Commonwealth of Kentucky. All telecommunications transmission services will be provided by an underlying carrier certified by this Commission.

The application provided by Premier demonstrates its financial, managerial, and technical capability. The Commission finds that Premier should be authorized to resell intrastate long-distance telecommunications services within the Commonwealth of Kentucky. The Commission further finds that the rates proposed by

Premier should be approved as the fair, just, and reasonable rates to be charged. The Commission has also reviewed Premier's proposed May 7, 1993 tariff and the revised tariff sheets filed August 4, 1993. The Commission finds that further revisions must be made to the following provisions:

1. Refer to Exhibit C of your August 4, 1993 proposed tariff sheets. Insert the word "give" after the word "shall" in Heading 2.11.1.

2. Refer to Exhibit F of your August 4, 1993 proposed tariff sheets. The last sentence in Heading 3.2.4 is an unnecessary addendum and should be removed.

The Commission, having considered the evidence of record and being otherwise sufficiently advised, HEREBY ORDERS that:

1. Premier be and it hereby is granted authority to resell intrastate long-distance telecommunications services within the Commonwealth of Kentucky on and after the date of this Order.

2. Premier's authority to provide service is strictly limited to those services described in this Order and Premier's application.

3. IntraLATA services shall be provided in accordance with the restrictions and conditions of service contained in Administrative Case No. 323.¹

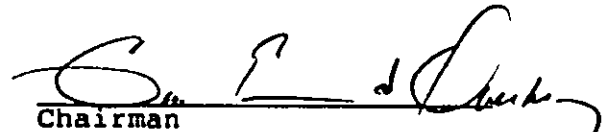
¹ Administrative Case No. 323, An Inquiry Into IntraLATA Toll Competition, An Appropriate Compensation Scheme for Completion of IntraLATA Calls by Interexchange Carriers, and WATS Jurisdictionality, Phase I, Order dated May 6, 1991.

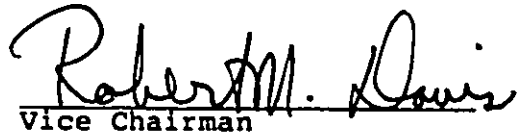
4. The rates proposed by Premier on May 7, 1993, and revised on August 4, 1993, are hereby approved subject to the revisions required by this Order.

5. Within 30 days from the date of this Order, Premier shall file its May 7, 1993 tariff sheets, as revised on August 4, 1993 and incorporating the changes noted above, pursuant to 807 KAR 5:011 and to conform to the restrictions and conditions of service contained herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 10th day of September, 1993.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:


Executive Director